

# “The Good Samaritan Sponsorship Project”



NEW LIFE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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**“Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.” - Philippians 4:6-7**

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ:

Greetings to all in the precious name of Jesus. We have much news in this newsletter. First and foremost we want to have you pray for our students who will be doing their practical examinations in mid-October and finish in mid-November. This is their final year of High School and as they study for their big final government examination which will determine if they continue for studies for University or their formal education will end at this point. S-4 students are: Stella Kabalodi whose only parent her mother has had Aids for some time but is still able to help support her two children; Richard Kusemererwa who has been in the project for many years and has slowly progressed to this point of education; Patrick Nyakoojo whose mother was killed by his father and remains in prison to this day with the penalty of death hanging over him; Martin Mwangu a long time Good Samaritan project student; Tadeo Ajuna who has no parents, a complete orphan and lives by himself when not in school; and the final three girls Jessica Kajumba, Rose Mary Kirungi and Hanifar Nankya all good students who have progressed to this point in their schooling. S-6 students are: Tadeo Katuramu, now a total orphan as his mother died earlier this year and Nuuru Manyirekir both of whom are excellent students, good friends and both aspire to become medical doctors and serve God’s people in Ft. Portal, Praise the Lord! Please pray for all of them as the testing for continuing education grows more stringent each year. Only the very best will advance and have higher education opportunities.

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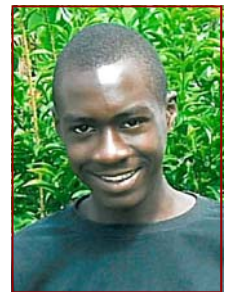
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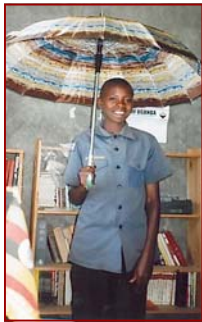
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S6 Tadeo Katuramu



Nuuru Manjirekir

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY



Gifts  
Food  
Fellowship

Yes, we know you say how could we be thinking of Christmas already but we must! You see in order to have a party and gifts and program for the children and guests (375 attended last year) plans have to be made and the gifts purchased in advance and that is where we are right now. This year, Praise the Lord, Pastor Sam and Zoe and ourselves with the Lord's direction have elected to give the children **BACK-PACK** and **UMBRELLA**. Again, these are very practical and useful gifts and will be received with great joy and thanksgiving. The cost will again be \$25 per student and please mark you checks for GSSP Christmas party. We fully appreciate your faithfulness in this Christmas project each year as all who attend have a full day of excitement and celebration. The children also will prepare a drama skit, sing, recite memorized scripture and give testimonies. There is always a special invited guest who is usually a government official. So thank you so very much for your support of this event every year.

## CRISIS IN KAMPALA

We would like to share some things from Pastor Sam's most recent e-mail to us: "This end we have had very tense and hard times. There were three days of demonstrations in THE BIG APPLE of Uganda where 35 vehicles were brunt, 2 police posts were brunt, houses and shops were brunt, 35 people died and many injured with 650 being arrested. Nothing like this had ever happened in our country. The cause was a disagreement between the Baganda, the largest tribe and a minority ethnic group called Banyala. The cause was the kabaka of Buganda wanted to visit one of his counties and the minority ethnic refused and the government for security reasons stopped the king from visiting. People who were in support of the kabaka rose to demonstrate. Pray that this will not end in ethnic tribal war as it was in Rwanda. Now the country is calm but with heavy deployment of army and police."

*In His Arms,*

*Pastor Sam & Zoe Kasule*

*Dick and Barb Johnson*

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